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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Application of
Peter Rabinovitch
Serial No. 10/712,104
Filed: November 14, 2003
For: Software Configurable Cluster-Based Router
Using Heterogeneous Nodes as Cluster Nodes

Examiner Melvin H. Pollack
Group Art Unit 2145

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF RESPONSE PERIOD
UNDER 37 C.F.R.1.136(a)

Mail Stop FEE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Office Action.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The request extension and fee are as follows:

	<u>Fee</u>	Small Entity <u>Fee</u>	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1))	\$ 120	\$ 60	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(2))	\$ 460	\$ 230	<u>\$ 460</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3))	\$1050	\$ 525	\$ _____

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.
- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 26-0090.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: January 2, 2008

In the event this paper is deemed not timely filed, the applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to Deposit Account No. 26-0090 along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this paper.